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**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ann Johnson, Executive Assistant, at 202/653-7220.

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**Lauren LeRoy,**

*Executive Director.*

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## NATIONAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

### Notice of Publication of Federal Telecommunication Recommendation

**AGENCY:** National Communications System (NCS).

**ACTION:** Notice of publication.

**SUMMARY:** Federal Telecommunications Recommendation (FTR) 1080-1997, "Video Teleconferencing Services at 56 to 1,920 kbit/s" was approved for publication on October 30, 1997. This recommendation defines the specifications for video teleconferencing and video telephony systems.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Contact Stephen Perschau at telephone (703) 607-6198 or write to the National Communications System, Attn: N6, 701 South Court House Road, Arlington, VA 22204-2198.

**Dennis Bodson,**

*Chief, Technology and Standards Division.*

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## NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

### National Endowment for the Arts; Combined Arts Panel

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Combined Arts Panel, Literature Section (Creation & Presentation/Planning & Stabilization Categories) to the National Council on the Arts will be held on December 3-5, 1997. The panel will meet from 9:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. on December 3 and

December 4, and from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on December 5, in Room M-07 at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C., 20506. A portion of this meeting, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on December 5, will be open to the public for a policy discussion of guidelines, planning, field needs and trends, and Leadership Initiatives.

The remaining portions of this meeting, from 9:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. on December 3 and December 4, and 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on December 5, are for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and recommendation on applications for financial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including information given in confidence to the agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of March 31, 1997, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsection (c)(4), (6) and (9)(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

Any person may observe meetings, or portions thereof, of advisory panels which are open to the public, and may be permitted to participate in the panel's discussions at the discretion of the panel chairman and with the approval of the full-time Federal employee in attendance.

If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Office of AccessAbility, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506, 202/682-5532, TDY-TDD 202/682-5496, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Committee Management Officer, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, D.C. 20506, or call 202/682-5691.

Dated: November 12, 1997.

**Kathy Plowitz-Worden,**

*Panel Coordinator, Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Advisory Committee for Computer and Information Science and Engineering Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

**Name:** Advisory Committee for Computer and Information Science and Engineering—1115.

**Date and Time:** December 03, 1997; 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., December 04, 1997; 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Place:** National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230, Room 1235.

**Type of Meeting:** Open.

**Contact Person:** Yvonne Summers, Office of the Assistant Director, Directorate for Computer and Information Science and Engineering, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1105, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1900.

**Minutes:** May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

**Purpose of Meeting:** To advise NSF on the impact of its policies, programs and activities on the CISE community; to provide advice to the Assistant Director/CISE on issues related to long range planning, and to form ad hoc subcommittees to carry out needed studies and tasks.

#### Agenda

- (1) Review status of Implementation of CISE Reorganization
- (2) Provide assessment of CISE Results and Future Plans in the context of Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA)
- (3) Discuss special activities, e.g., Knowledge Distributed Intelligence (KDI, Partnership for Advanced Computational Infrastructure (PACI), Next Generation Internet, Digital Libraries II, etc.

Dated: November 10, 1997.

**Rebecca Winkler,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Human Resource Development; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

**Name and Committee Code:** Special Emphasis Panel in Human Resource Development (#1199).

**Date and Time:** December 1-2, 1997: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Place:** National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 330, Arlington, VA 22230.

**Type of Meeting:** Closed.

**Contact Person:** Dr. Alexandra King, Program Director, Human Resource Development Division, Room 815, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230 Telephone: (703) 306-1633.

**Purpose of Meeting:** To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.